Quite an interest has been shown by people in comparing the size and nature of the audiences that have greeted Henry G. Davis and Speaker Cannon, as Mr. Davis appeared at many of the places where Mr. Cannon spoke a week later. Unbiased opinions of the relative interest shown in these meetings concur in declaring that there has been on the surface very little difference between the reception given the two parties. In many of these cases, as the meetings were not held at the same time of day, they could not properly be com-

pared. Cannon Warmly Greeted.

Evening meetings are always more largely attended than those that are held in the afternoon or morning. But it is certain that Henry G. Davis in the towns of his home state, many of which are named either for him, for members of his family or for his friends, was never more warmly received than was Speaker Cannon, whose appeal to the people was made, not for personal reasons or with any reference to state pride in securing for him a favorable hearing, but was based entirely upon a presentation of principles of his party which he regarded as tending to contribute far more to the prosperity of the state of West Virginia than the policies of the democratic party ocratic party.

Heavy Demand for Services.

The demands by local committees on the ime of Speaker Cannon have been far in excess of his ability to comply with them. The Maryland state committee arranged for a series of meetings at small towns, where it proposed that r. Cannon would speak from the rear platform of his private car. In that way it proposed to occupy him throughout today, allowing him to get to Baltimore only in time to speak at the

mass meeting in that city.

But Mr. Cannon's friends promptly vetoed this plan, which was never suggested until the party was within a few miles of Cum-berland. It was deemed absolutely necessary that Mr. Cannon should have today for rest, as it was one of the few days since he started out on his trip that was not taken up with an afternoon meeting. He took occasion of the opportunity to have his car run down to Washington, where he will probably have a short talk with the President and will look after some of his

ACCIDENT VICTIMS

CONDUCTOR LAMB'S CONDITION SERIOUS, SAY SURGEONS.

John F. Larcombe Still Delirious-Other Patients Doing Well-Sprague's Funeral.

The condition of Conductor J. C. Lamb. who was hurt in the railroad accident on the City and Suburban line at Laurel Md. vesterday morning, and who was taken to the Emergency Hospital in this city, is reported to be very serious this afternoon. He has not yet rallied from the shock of the blow on his head and of the operation

It was stated today by J. B. Lackey, claim agent for the City and Suburban railroad, who says he is in close touch with all those persons injured in the first accident, that the condition of all is good. He repeated a statement made last Tuesday to the effect that he believed all would re-

Larcombe is Delirious.

It was learned late this afternoon, however, that John F. Larcombe, thirty-two years of age, of 308 Albany street northeast, who was reported as slightly injured, has been delirious almost continually ever since the accident. He was badly injured about the face, it is said. His physicians had to resort to an anesthetic last night, it is said, to keep him quiet. His relatives are very much worried about his condi-

Funeral services over the remains of Edward R. Sprague, who died from injuries received in the first accident Monday morn-ing, were held at 10 o'clock yesterday morning at his late home in Langdon, D. C. Many friends of the dead man, including a large number of his fellow-employes in the government printing office, were present. The body was shipped to Russel, Kan., last charge of Sprague's brother, who came to the city to attend the funeral. Interment will be made in the family burial plot in the Kansas town.

CONTEMPT OF COURT.

Rev. S. P. W. Drew and William Howard Imprisoned.

At the conclusion of a hearing shortly after 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon, Justice Stafford, in Equity Court No. 2, adjudged Simon P. W. Drew, George Robinson and William Howard in contempt of court or violation of an injunction order signed in connection with the troubles affecting the congregation of the Metropolitan Baptist Church, R street between 12th and 13th streets. Drew was sentenced to imrisonment in the District fall for sixty lays, and Robinson and Howard for thirty days each. The contempt proceedings instituted against James Strothers were dis-

Upon an appeal being noted, Justice Stafford fixed the bond in the case of Drew at \$1,000, and in the cases of Robinson and Howard at \$300 each. Drew furnished security to guarantee his appearance in court ford fixed the bond in the case of Drew at \$1,000, and in the cases of Robinson and this morning to give the required bond, and Robinson and Howard were released over it is understood, in behalf of the individnight on their personal bonds.

When the matter was taken up this morn-

ing counsel for Drew, Robinson and How-ard made the point that the court was without jurisdiction to consider the contempt issue, by reason of alleged legal omissions previous proceedings. The right of appeal in the contempt case was also ques-

Justice Stafford, remarking that the questions raised by counsel were important ones, took the matter under advisement until next Monday. Until then the defendants were released on their personal bonds, Drew in the sum of \$1,000, and Robinson and Howard in the sum of \$300 each.

Asks for Divorce.

Claudia Coles today instituted proceedings for divorce against Callie Coles, naming a co-respondent. Attorney J. F. Bundy represents the petitioner.

Fairbanks' Indiana Tour Planned. INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., October 21.-Deails of the tour to be made by Senator Fairbanks in Indiana, October 31 to November 5, were completed by the repubican state committee today. Many reuests came from cities and towns that Mr. Fairbanks' special train cannot reach. The itinerary provides for sixty-seven speeches. The first night will be spent in Fort Wayne and the last in Indianapolis, where Senator Fairbanks will speak at his home

Decision in Florida Phosphate Case.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., October 21 .- The supreme court of Florida has rendered a decision in the phosphate rate case, which has been pending since last December. Proceedings were brought by the railroad commission of Florida at the instance of the Fernandina board of trade, charging discrimination by the railroads in rates in favor of Savannah as against Florida ports. The decision just rendered is a victory for the commission, and peremptory writs of mandamus have been issued compelling the

Meeting Held Today at the City Hall.

MANY CLAIMS FILED

REFEREE BRADLEY DECLINES TO PERMIT ADJOURNMENT.

Election of Trustees Deferred-Motions and Suggestions-Mr. Waggaman Attends Hearing.

The first meeting of the creditors Thomas E. Waggaman, bankrupt, was called to order at a few minutes after 10 o'clock this morning by Mr. Andrew Y. Bradley, referee in bankruptcy, in the grand fury room at the city hall.

The first arrivals at the meeting place were largely women. Some of them had, it is said. invested their all with Waggaman, whose financial standing they regarded as "solid as the rock of Gibraltar," as one of them expressed it before the meeting was opened. A majority of these women wore widows' weeds. They discussed the outlook in low and earnest tones.

A German, who had invested much of his money with Waggaman, stated to a Star reporter that many of the creditors with whom he had talked declared they favored the selection of some reliable merchant as trustee.

"Because," he added, "if we choose a lawyer he will want to keep this litigation going for all time, whereas a merchant will be for closing it up as soon as pos-

Mr. Charles H. Bradley, brother of the referee, and three other clerks, were kept busy before the convening of the session receiving and filing belated claims. Mr. Thomas E. Waggaman reached the meeting place a few minutes before the session was opened, and occupied a seat against the wall to the right of Referee Bradley. After his arrival the room was quickly filled with creditors, attorneys and spectators until only standing room was left, and there were more than 200 persons crowded into the apartment, and others were in the adjoining hallways.

Statement by Referee.

Mr. Bradley made an announcement at the opening, saying the order of adjudication was issued September 26, 1904; that the schedules were filed with the clerk of the court October 6, and at his office October 7. "I, therefore," he added, "sent out October 8 notices to creditors calling a meeting

Mr. Bradley gave instructions as to the fling of claims at the meeting, and added that it would not be possible at this time to go into the election of "a trustee, or trustees." He would require the filing of letters of attorney, which will entitle the attorneys filing them to vote in connection with the trusteeship. For other purposes the attorneys will be allowed to representheir clients as they are in court in other cases. When claimants have given letters of attorney they cannot vote for the trustee themselves. Those who are not present at the election of trustee will not be al-

lowed to vote by proxy or otherwise.

Attorney R. Golden Donaldson stated that as it seemed to be impracticable to pro-ceed with the election of trustee at this time, he favored an adjournment of the meeting until Monday morning at 10 o'clock, performed yesterday to relieve the pressure of the fractured skull on the brain. The surgeons at the hospital have grave fears for his life.

| Monday morning at 10 o'clock. Another attorney moved that an adjournment be had until this afternoon and that in the interim the creditors be allowed to file their claims and prove them. There the file their claims and prove them. There file their claims and prove them. There were other motions and suggestions urging adjournment or a recess, to which Mr. Bradley replied that he could not see the necessity for adjourning the meeting at this

"There may be something brought up today which will require the action of the meeting, and I don't want to prejudice the rights of those who may come in later. I therefore overrule the motions to adjourn. This meeting will continue until 3 o'clock this afternoon. In the meantime I shall not entertain a motion or petition. The time will be devoted to the proving and allowance of claims, and when the meeting adjourns today it will be to meet at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning in this room."

Referee Bradley also stated that when the election of trustee is reached the election will be by a joint majority in both numbers and amounts of all claims filed and allowed, and those creditors or attorneys holding 'letters of attorney" who are not present will not be allowed to vote. It was impossible, Mr. Bradley added, to say when the appointment of a trustee by election will

The Crowd Disperses.

Upon the announcement being made that the remainder of today's session would be devoted to the filing and proving of claims there was a general exodus from the room, especially of attorneys, who had other mat-

ters to occupy their attention. Mr. Thomas E. Waggaman, who appeared pale and careworn, also took his departure.

After reaching the adjoining hallway a number of the women creditors, who had followed Mr. Waggaman out, shook hands with him, and some of them feelingly ex-pressed their sympathy with him in his misfortune-and theirs.

For a time there was a surging crowd of attorneys and creditors in front of the long stretch of tables, behind which were seated Mr. Bradley and his assistants, and claims were rapidly filed until there were several large piles in front of the referee. it was impossible to determine who of those

present were entitled to vote and who were not until the claims had been filed and proved and letters of attorney in proper form presented. He therefore deemed it inadvisable before this is accomplished to entertain the motion to adjourn.

uals mentioned for the trusteeship.

First Claim Filed Today.

One of the first claims filed this morning was that of the estate of David Weatherly for \$50,000, which was handed in by Mr. R M. Anderson, a Philadelphia attorney. It purported to be secured by trust deeds on the Pierpont apartment house for \$10,000; the Wesley Heights property, for \$2,300; Woodley Park, for \$8,000; Cleveland Park, for \$10,000, and other city properties for additional amounts.

It is expected that other bis Philadelphia claims will be filed today or tomorrow, including that of the Jessup estate, for \$60,000 Rush Over by 11:30.

them had seen him since his financial collapse was made patent by the action of the courts. He was, therefore, naturally the cynosure of all eyes.

"Poor fellow," remarked an aged Irish woman in the rear of the room, "he looks as pale as a ghost and I am sure he is worried 'most to death."

Declines to Discuss His Affairs.

Mr. Waggaman was inclined to be reticent and only spoke when some question was asked him by a friend or creditor. He declined to discuss his affairs, which are now in the hands of the law, and appeared to be glad when an opportunity was offered in

the exodus for him to leave the room as unobtrusively as possible.

Every type of the Waggaman creditor was represented at the meeting today. There were old men and young men, pros-perous-looking and poor; aged women in mourning garb, and young ones in fashion-able attire, and "the lame, the halt and the blind," as a young attorney expressed it.
"How much will yez get on th' dollar?" inquired an old man in response to the inquired an old man in response to the inquiry of an elderly woman; "that is more thin I can tell yez. Some sez a quarter of a dollar on th' dollar, whilst others sez a half-dollar on th' dollar. Ye can't tell yit until Mister Bradley has waded thro' all of thim papers an' done a big piece of figurin'."

figurin'."

The opinions of the creditors varied as to how much they would ultimately receive on their debts, the amounts named being from 25 cents to 90 cents on the dollar.

A young man who claimed to have a private "tip" from an inside source said the secured creditors would receive about 75 per cent of their claims.

per cent of their claims.

It was stated some time ago that Mrs.
Waggaman had dispensed with the services
of some of her servants owing to the condition of her husband's finances. In this
connection the claim of Alfred Krieg for \$50
was filed "for services as gardener rendered
Mr. Thomas E. Waggaman at his private

Approximately, it was stated today, between 400 and 500 Waggaman claims have already been filed with Referee Bradley, many of which were entered today during the meeting.

An old woman approached Mr. Thomas An old woman approached Mr. Thomas C. Bradley, one of the clerks, this afternoon and informed him that she had a claim against T. E. Waggaman for \$1,475 with interest. She being ignorant of the proper mode of procedure, Mr. Bradley advised her to secure the services of a lawyer. "No, indeed, I won't," she replied. "There "No, indeed, I won't," she replied. There is very little chance of me getting my money, anyway. If I hire a lawyer then I know I won't get any of it. He will get it all if there is any coming to me."

Edward X. Fink, president of "The board of Congress College", filed a of directors of Gonzaga College," filed a letter of attorney, constituting Charles J. Murphy attorney to represent that institu-

Considerable trouble has been caused the referee, it is stated, by attorneys who have failed to properly indorse claims as instructed.

Claims Filed Today. Some of the claims filed and allowed to-

lay follow: Rev. P. J. O'Connell, \$14,500; estate of David Weatherly, jr., \$41,335; Eleanor Leonard, 30,100; trustees of Brandon Protestant Episcopal Church at Burrowsville, Va., \$5,000; Kate McGrath, \$1,200; Carrie Ruppel, \$1,300; Eliza Warder, \$1,500, se-cured by list No. 1; M. Agnes Gardiner of Baltimore \$20,000; George I. Gardiner, \$960; Alice Clendenin, \$2,000.

Protestant Episcopal Society a Claimant George C. Thomas of Philadelphia, "treasurer of the Domestic and Foreign Missionary Society of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the United States of America, a corporation incorporated by and under the laws of the state of New York." presented a claim for \$109.28. This money, it is claimed, was left to the society by the will of Mary M. Carter, deceased.

Other claims presented were:
William A. Gray, for rents collected,
\$75.05; Robert W. McPherson, \$92.94; Richard P. White, \$2,853.75; Robert W. and
Mary A. McPherson, trustees, \$49; Metella
King, \$28.97; Kate McGrath, \$1,200; Francis
Y. Stopestreet, \$47.50; Mary J. Alexander Fisher, \$250; Emily S. Moore, \$5,500; Charlotte L. Collins, \$800; Mary Kelly, nee Lane, \$103; J. Cecelia Burch, \$500; Evelyn Reichmann. \$3,253: Hannah Collins. \$600: Jane Read, \$4,950; Margaret M. Lockwood, \$372; Mary E. Fleming, \$38; Mollie and Carrie Dorsey, \$1,000; Margaret Somers, \$400; Ellen Gallagher, \$2.800; Otho T. Nichols, \$1.500; Alfred Krieg, \$50; Ida Burch, \$4,500; Percival Padgett, \$3,000, "secured by list No. 1;" Susan M. Hodge, \$3,500; Sophia Pope, \$1,024; Alice Clarke, \$85.94.

Secured by Notes.

In the claim of Mathew S. Brenan for \$4,000 it is stated that "the only securities held by this deponent for said debt are five promissory notes, each bearing date of September 12, 1894, and payable three years after date, with interest at 6 per cent per annum until paid, each signed with the name of C. M. Coughlin, a clerk in Mr. Waggaman's office, without financial resources, and each made payable to the order of Samuel E. Allen, jr., also a clerk in Mr. Waggaman's office, and also without financial means."

The claim of Elisa Divorne of New York for \$3,147.05, was filed this afternoon by Hopkins & Hopkins, attorneys. The consideration of this debt is nine promissory notes variously signed by M. J. Riley, L. L. Nicholson, W. M. Sharkey and Miss C. M. Coughlin, all said to have been Waggaman clerks, and included in list No. 1. Other claims filed this afternoon were those of Frank W. Tucker for \$6.95; Sarah A. McKelvey, \$8.92; Sarah Cullen, \$460; Lizzie Means Hanna, \$600; Ann M. Pywell, \$3.50, "reserved out of rent collected by said Waggaman for the purpose of paying a water rent, which he failed to do;" James W. Orme, "unsecured debt" of \$330.31, rents ccllected; Alice Clarke, \$8,682, purporting to be secured by Riley, Allen and Coughlin notes on list of notes No. 1; Washington Savings Bank, \$9,000, with interest at 6 per cent from July 23, 1904; Mary Josephine Carroll, \$1,100; Antonio D. Icamillo, \$125.90. To facilitate the work of filing the many claims presented today Mr. Bradley had prepared a set of rubber stamps, with the legends in big letters: "Allowed," "Ap-prove," "Filed," with date, &c. Even with these auxiliaries Mr. Bradley and his three assistants were kept busy until the closing time this afternoon

TO DEFEND INDIA.

Lord Kitchener's Plans for Reorganizing the Army. special Dispatch to The Evening Star.

NEW YORK, October 21.-A cable dispatch from London says: Lord Kitchener's plans for reorganization of the Indian army are well advanced and a considerable grant of money has been made to him in order that he may carry out his scheme. Lord Kitchener's aim is to place a fully equipped army on the northwest frontier ready to move against the invader and strike swiftly. A new field army, which will consist of 100,000 men, will be organized in divisions, each of which will stand complete in itself for war. Divisions will be placed

Asks for Divorce.

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JUDGESCOTT ANSWERED

DISTRICT OFFICIALS COMMENT ON "NOLLE PROS." QUESTION.

Power of Prosecuting Attorney Not Taken Away-Court's PARKER TALKS TO DELEGATION. Prerogative.

There was considerable discussion among attorneys and District officials today with reference to the comments of the judges of the Police Court yesterday relative to the recent order of the Commissioners with regard to the "nolle prossing" of cases by the prosecuting attorney. During the proceedings in Judge Scott's court yesterday the court was quoted as saying that a certain case should have been "nolle prossed" by the assistant corporation counsel. In reply to this Prosecuting Attorney Pugh is quoted as declaring that he could not nolle

The order issued by the Commissioner elative to this subject is as follows:

pros. cases under the order of the Commis-

relative to this subject is as follows:

"That the assistant corporation counsel, charged with the prosecution of cases in the Police Court, be instructed through the corporation counsel to take into court, for its settlement, every case brought before him, except those in which, upon examination of the evidence submitted on behalf of the District, and without hearing the other side, he is satisfied that a prima facie case has not been made out, and that he is, therefore, justified in entering a nolle prosequi.

"In every case in which he feels obliged or to enter a noile prosequi he shall make a special report to the corporation counsel, giving his reasons in detail for so doing, and the corporation counsel shall from time the time report to the Commissioners on this and the corporation counsel shall from time to time report to the Commissioners on this subject, keeping a record in his office of all such cases. The assistant corporation counsel on duty at the Police Court shall not fix collateral or reduce collateral security deposited at police stations or elsewhere, or perform any other function belonging to the court.

Retains Former Privilege.

Those discussing the matter today conceded that a prosecuting attorney has the power to nolle pros. cases brought before him for prosecution, and it was pointed out that the order issued by the Commissioners does not operate to take away that power from the prosecuting attorney, as the order expressly excepts "those cases in which, upon examination of the evidence submitted on behalf of the District, and without hearing the other side, he is satisfied that a prima facte case has not been made out, nd that he is therefore justified in enter-

ing a nolle prosequi."

Attorneys discussing the matter argued that under the Commissioners' order it is duty of the prosecuting attorney to investigate all cases, and to nolle pros. those n which he is without sufficient evidence o make out a prima facle case.

It was pointed out that if the case on trial before Judge Scott yesterday was improperly brought before him, and should have been "nolle prossed," the court should have promptly dismissed it, after hearing the testimony for the prosecution, without requiring the defendant to put his witnesses on the stand and take up the time of the

The action of the court in hearing the defense at the close of the government's testimony, it was argued today, seemed to indicate that the testimony introduced in be-half of the District established a prima facle case in the opinion of the court, and one which the court, and not the prosecutor, should hear and determine

NOT RETROACTIVE

APPLICATION OF ACT OF APRIL 27, 1904, TO MARINE CORPS.

Officers Retired Prior to That Date Not Entitled to Advanced Rank, in Attorney General's View.

Attorney General Moody has given an opinion to the Secretary of the Navy to the effect that officers of the Marine Corps who served during the civil war and who were retired prior to the passage of the naval appropriation act of April 27, 1904, are not entitled to advanced rank on the retired list, on the ground that the benefits of that act applied only in the cases of marine officers thereafter retired. The question arose on the application of Major Augustus S. Nicholson of the Marine Corps, a civil war veteran, who was retired May, 1894, and other marine officers who had served in the civil war and also retired before the

passage of the act in question.

A Complex Question. The question was a most complicated one in view of the various provisions of law relating to the retirement of officers of the army, navy and Marine Corps. Although the Marine Corps is in many respects a separate and distinct organization, it is generally treated as a part of the navy. In the matters of pay and retirement, how-ever, the officers of the Marine Corps are governed by the laws relating to officers of the army. The naval personnel act of March 3, 1899, provided that officers of the navy who served during the civil war should be retired with the rank and pay of the next higher grade. It was held at that time that officers of the Marine Corps were not entitled to the benefits of that act. To remedy that apparent discrimination Con-gress April 27, 1904, passed an act putting marine officers who served in the civil war on retirement in the same category with naval officers who had similar service. That act became a law four days later than a similar statute made for the benefit of officers of the army who had served dur-

ng the civil war. As Regards Marine Corps.

Because of that fact, the Attorney General holds that marine officers are not entitled to the benefits of the army law in the matter of retirements, notwithstanding the provisions of previous statutes under which army officers and marine officers were retired under similar conditions.

The importance of this distinction lies in the fact that under the army act of April 23, 1904, the President was given discretionary authority to give advanced pay and rank to retired officers of the army who served during the civil war, regardless who served during the civil war, regardless of the date of their retirement. In the opinion of the Attorney General the provision in the naval actor April 27, 1904, passed four days later than the army act, showed plainly that Congress did not intend that the provisions of the army act should apply to officers of the Army act should apply to officers of the Marine Corps. In other words, he holds that only those officers of

east spent more money for music alone than is available for the entire maintenance of some western districts. He thought the eastern Catholic parishes should contribute more to the west, to whom, he said, they owe their continuance. Had it not been for those dioceses, he declared, the eastern Catholic parishes would have been legislated out of existence long ago.

The National Council of the Clerical Union afterward held a business session, presided over by Bishop Nicholson of Milwaukee.

FIRST SALES OF 15,000 ESOPUS, N. Y., October 21.-Judge Par-

Answers Taft's Speech in Address to

New Jersey Democrats.

ker today addressed a delegation from Hud.

son county, N. J., on the subject of admin

istrative extravagance, answering a speech

made by Secretary of War Taft, in which

the Secretary called upon the democrats to

give a bill of particulars in connection with

their charge that economy in government

affairs had been forgotten in the years the

republicans have been in control of national

Judge Parker quoted a few totals from

deluge determined to pay their visit to the candidate despite the certainty of a mud

candidate despite the certainty of a much bath at the Esopus end of their journey. Reaching Judge Parker's house the dele-gation surrounded the veranda. Though the rain fall had ceased, the trees were

dripping and umbrellas had to be raised. When Judge Parker stepped from the house he was greeted by cheers and hand clap-

DOWNPOUR IMPEDES TRAFFIC.

High Wind and Rainfall in New

York.

NEW YORK, October 21 .- A downpour of

of forty-eight miles an hour early today

disarranged the schedules of local trans-

portation companies and brought discom-

fort to thousands of persons on the way to

their places of business in the city. Start-

ing well down the Virginia coast and rapid-

ly working up along the shore line, the

force of the storm was felt in the seaside

trains in all sections of the greater city

when the morning rush to the city was at

its height. These disarrangements were not

posed to the full force of the storm.

communication suffered severely.

Sloop Foundered, One Drowned.

LEWES, Del., October 21.-The sloop An-

nie T. Ruland, Chincoteague for New York,

foundered off Fenwick Island last night

during the storm and one man was drown-

ed. Harry Rayner, a brother of the

drowned man, who was on the Ruland.

reached here today in a yawl boat and told

Terrific Storm Along Coast.

NORFOLK, Va., October 21.-A terrific

storm swept this coast this morning, doing

considerable damage on land from Virginia

Beach to Cape Hatteras. No sea disasters

have been reported as yet. Rain fell in

FATAL DISPUTE OVER A COOK.

Kidd fired on Butterworth with a shot-

gun and the latter returned the fire with a similar weapon, blowing Kidd's head off.

CHOYNSKI QUITS THE RING.

His Fight With Jack O'Brien Declared

Off.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., October 21 .- The fight

between Joe Choynski and "Philadelphia

Jack" O'Brien, scheduled for next Tuesday

The reason was a telegram from Choyn-ski which said: "Call fight off. Am out of game for good."

New Swiss Attache for Washington.

BERLIN, October 21 .- A. E. de Pury, the

attache of the Swiss legation here, has been

transferred to the legation of Switzerland

Jamaica Races Today.

JAMAICA, L. I., October 21.-First race-

Three-year-olds, selling, six furlongs: Et

Tu Brute 7 to 5 and 1 to 2, first; Pallette,

Army Orders.

fantry, has, at his own request, been trans-

Dyer, from the 13th Battalion, Field Artil-

lery, to the 11th Battalion, Field Artil-

lery; Captain William S. Guignard, from

the 102d to the 44th Company, Coast Artil-

Second Lieutenant Guy E. Bucker, 9th In-

8 to 1, second; Sais, third. Time, 1:15.

Special Dispatch to The Evening Star.

Brunswick county, was killed.

night, has been declared off.

at Washington.

of the accident.

running on disarranged schedules

affairs.

OTHER COALERS ACTIVE AND STRONG IN SYMPATHY.

Some Iron and Steel Stocks Were Weak -Constant Shifting Marked the Price Movements.

NEW YORK, October 21.-Reports of the official reports, which he asserted not only raised the presumption of extravagance, but proved it. A bill of particulars will be given, he said, when a democratic administration gets a chance at the books. From midnight until after noon today rain fell in torrents. Streams overflowed, the roads were converted into brooks and passing of control of the Ontario and Western to the New Haven made the former stock the feature of the opening dealings today. First sales were of 15,000 shares at 41 and 40%, compared with 40% last night, and this was followed by a string of transroads were converted into brooks and made nearly impassable for pedestrians. Never-theless the New Jersey delegations formed a procession at the Esopus station of the West Shore railroad, and marched to Roseactions in thousand-share blocks and upward. The other coalers were active and strong in sympathy. Five thousand shares of Reading sold at 77 and 761/2, compared mount.

It had been the intention of the organizers of the trip to have two special trains of sixteen coaches each and a party of 2.000 persons. The trains were to leave Jersey City at 10 o'clock and arrive at Esopus at noon. At 10 o'clock rain was falling in sheets at Jersey City, and few democrats had arrived at the trains. An hour later a delegation sufficient to fill ten coaches had arrived, and unmindful of the deluge determined to pay their visit to the with 75% last night, and Erie and Pennsylvaria rose a half on sales of 2,500 shares each. Atchison rose % and Metropolitan %. The United States Steel stocks sagged a fraction after opening unchanged, and New York Central opened down an eighth. These were the only important stocks to

show declines. Ontario and Western continued furiously active and rose 2 points before reaction. Other points of strength developed, while profit taking, side by side, made inroads at some points. The Metropolitan stocks were carried up about 1% each and Chicago, Great Western and People's Gas were prominent, with advances of 1% and 1%. Some of the iron and steel stocks were weak, United States Steel preferred losing % and Proceed Steel Car 2%.

% and Pressed Steel Car 2½.

Amalgamated Copper lost a point, and St. Paul, Union Pacific and Southern Pacific were laggards, the first getting 14 under last night. New York Central, Louisville and Nashville, Kansas and Texas pre ferred and United States Rubber preferred 1 to 2. Reading, Ontario and Western NEW YORK, October 21.—A downpour of rain driven in slanting sheets by a wind of forty-eight miles on how by a wind but other stocks rallied. United States Steel preferred rose above 82, and Colorado Fuel gained a point.

The constant shifting of demand from one

quarter to another was a feature, and the constant irregularity of price movements in the very animated dealings. The Pacifics came into prominence with United States Steel preferred, Union Pacifics, Atchison and Missouri Pacific rising a point.

The St. Louis Southwestern stocks, Kansas City Southern, Pensylvania, Baltimore towns of New Jersey during the night. Its coming had been heralded here by a and Ohio, Northwestern, Iowa Central pre-ferred, Pacific Mail, Tennessee Coal and General Electric rose 1 to 1½, Kansas and Texas, 2%; the preferred, 2½; Allis-Chal-mers preferred, 3¾, and American Tele-phone, 3. American Express, Pressed Steel slow, steady, soaking drizzle, which con-tinued through the night and which was followed before daybreak by a sharp down-fall of rain and heavy wind. In the early forenoon the wind increased in power and the rain was driven in blind-Car, Car preferred and Wheeling and Lake Erie second preferred lost about a point. ing sheets. Trolley and elevated lines early felt the effects of the storm and cars and Reading rose strongly again to 771/2. Bonds were irregular at noon, The distribution of immense buying orders

for Pennsylvania ranging from 1,000 to 6,000 shares lifted it across 137 and strengthened kindred stocks. Reading moved up a fracparticularly serious, but the delays caused great annoyance to many persons who were obliged to stand at unsheltered points extion higher and Central Railroad of New Jersey and Delaware and Hudson gained 2 points. Western stocks which had lagged The storm moved rapidly eastward and during the forenoon New England began to throughout the morning were taken in hand by the bulls, St. Paul and Rock Island feel its force. Before noon that section was rising a point each. In general the market ruled higher and was very animated. Met-ropolitan Street Railway extended its adin the grasp of the storm and telegraphic between Boston and New York were pros-trated, the telegraphic lines east of Hartvance to 31/2 and there were a number of minor railroad properties up between 1 and 2 points. Virginia Carolina Chemical rose 24 and the preferred 1%.

There was some diminution in the volume of purchases during the early afternoon, but prices advanced steadily nevertheless. An insatiable demand appeared to prevail for Ontario and Western and blocks of thousands of shares were eagerly snapped

up at rising prices.

Before 2 o'clock the stock touched 441/2. Large buying of the other low-priced coalers resulted from its buoyancy, cially being well taken up to 37%. Else-where the movement was narrower than earlier in the day, except for some of the specialties. Metropolitan Street Rallway jumped to 130% and People's Gas stiffened 2½. With a reaction of 1½ in Ontario and estern prices elsewhere were shaded at a fraction, but Rock Island was pushed up

New York Stock Market.

Furnished by W. B. Hibbs & Co., bankers and brokers, 1419 F street, members New York stock exchange, Washington stock ex-Virginia Quarrel Results in One Killed change and Chicago board of trade

pute over the employment of a cook, near Dewitt, in Dinwiddle county, last night, Barney Butterworth was very seriously wounded and a man named Kidd, supposed o be from the vicinity of Cooks. 63% 28% 97% 26% 84% 87% 109% 136% 94 86% American Sugar..... 943/4 96 673/4 17514 3619 7219 5094 177 14494 2714 Louisville & Nashville.
Manhattan Elevated...
Metropolitan Seca Co...
Metropolitan St. Ry...
Mo., Kan. & Tex., pfd...
Mo., Kan. & Tex., pfd...
Missouri Pacific.......
Mexican Central......
National Lead.....
New York Central......
N. Y. Ont. & Western....
Norfolk & Western...
Pacific Mail Steamship. 30 57 Pacific Mail Steamship Pennsylvania Railroad. People's Gas of Chicago Pressed Steel Car Rep. Steel & Iron, pfd... Rock Island, common... ferred to the 2d Infantry.

The following transfers have been made in the Artillery Corps: Major Alexander B.

Rock Island, common...

Rubber Goods...

St. L. & S. F., 2d pfd....

St. Louis Southwestera. St. Louis S. W., pfd., Southern Pacific
Southern Railway
Southern Railway, pfd
Tennemee Coaldirol
Texas Pacific
Union Pacific
Union Pacific
Caiton Pacific

southern yellow core, 59.
OATS—Steady; No. 2 white, 33%, a34; No. 2 mixed, 33 asked; receipts, 11,793 bushels; exports, 400 bushels.
BYE—Strong and higher; uptown, No. 2 western, 90a91; receipts, 7,293 bushels.
HAY—Quiet, unchanged.
GRAIN FREIGHTS—Quiet; steam to Liverpool, per bushel, 1½d. November; Cork for orders, per quarter, 2s. 3d. November.
BUTTER—Firm; fancy imitation, 17a18; fancy creamery, 22; fancy ladle, 14a15; store packed, 12a13.
EGGS—Firm, 22.
CHEESE—Steady, large, 10a10½; medium, 10%, a 11; small, 11½a11¾.
SUGAR—Firm; coarse granulated, 5.30; fine, 5.30.

Grain, Provisions and Cotton Markets CHICAGO, October 21.-Grain Whent-Dec. May. Corn-Dec. May. Onts-Dec. May. CHIC CHICAGO, October 21.-P

LOCAL FINANCIAL NEWS.

Quite a lot of the bonds of the Washington Railway Company were sold at today's meeting of the stock exchange at 83%. After the sale the bonds were still to be had at that | . . . but there was no further market at a higher figure then 83%. The asking price before the close was withdrawn and 83% was substituted.

Gas certificates were again in demand and there were purchasers who were willing to give a price which was somewhat higher than that which was obtained yesterday, 120% was what was paid today. The asking price was 121.

There was no trading in the bonds of the Fotomac Electric Light Company, but a considerable jump was made in the bid, as today it was 104 and yesterday 102½. The

No trading took place in the stock of the Capital Traction Company during the call and the bid recorded was 131, which was less than that of yesterday. The asking price of 133 was the same.

After call the announcement was made

that 100 shares were for sale and were going to be sold, and the broker who offered the stock for sale started the bidding at 132. The next bid was an eighth in advance, and then 132¼ was bid, which was the finel bid and the stock went at was the final bid, and the stock went at that figure.

The same broker bid 132½ for thirty shares. A quotation lot of twenty shares sold at that price.

The amount of trading in the preferred stock of the Washington Railway Co. was light. The bid advanced to 77, and 78 was asked. After the call fifty shares went for 77%.
There was no offering of the common

stock during the call; 21¼ was bid, and at-ter the call the bid rose to 22. A sale of fifty shares was made at that price. There was more trading done in telephone stock than has been the case for months past; in fact, ever since the company sus-

pended the payment of dividends in view of the large expenditures here and in Balti-

more, which are now about completed, An advance of a point in the bid at the outset brought out a couple of twenty-five share lots. The bid was continued, but there seemed to be no more stock for sale at that bid. The asking price was 42. The bid advanced slowly to 40, without loosening much of the stock, and it remained there at the close. The asking price was 42. After the call 40 was bid without result.

Three ten-share lots of Mergenthaler sold at 189 and 188%, and then the bid was 188%, with 189 asked.

Ten was bid freely for Lanston, either in quotation lots of 100 shares or in larger amounts, and before the call was ended the bid had risen to 101/s. Sales were made or that level. At the close the bid was 10%, and the asking price 11.

Frederick A. Fenning has been elected a member of the board of directors of the Traders' National Bank.

Today's Government Receipts. National bank notes received today for edemption, \$618,487; government receipts from internal revenue, \$888,409; customs, \$1,075,825; miscellaneous, \$54,397; expenditures, \$2,300,000; available cash balance,

\$147 856 430 37. Washington Stock Exchange.

Washington Stock Exchange.

Sales.—Regular call. 12 o'clock noon—Washington Street Rwy. 4s. \$1,000 at 83%, Washington Gas cert., \$1,000 at 120%, \$1,000 at 120%, \$200 at 121.

Washington Street Rwy. pfd., 15 at 77.

Union Trust, 10 at 408%.

Cittzens' National Bank, 5 at 279%, 10 at 280.

American National Bank, 10 at 161%.

Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone, 25 at 30, 25 at 30, 5 at 40, 25 at 40, 25 at 40, 100 at 40%.

Mergenthaler Linotype, 10 at 189, 10 at 188%, 10 at 188%, 5 at 10 at 188%, 5 at 10 at 188%, 5 at 10 at 188%, 10 at 182%, 2 at 10%, 50 at 10, 50 at 10 %, 50 at 10, 50 at 10 %, 50 at

RAILROAD BONDS. Capital Traction 4s..... 106 117 1005 MISCELLANEOUS BONDS. MISCELLANEOUS BON
Washington Gas 6s, series A.
Washington Gas 6s, series B.
Washington Gas cert.
U. S. Elec. Lt. deb. imp. 6s.
U. S. Elec. Lt. cert. ind. 6s.
Chesapeake and Potomac Tel. 5s.
Washington Market 1st 6s.
Potomac Electric 5s.

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SAFE DEPOSIT AND TRUST STOCKS.
National Safe Deposit and Trust. 160
Washington Loan and Trust. 207
American Security and Trust. 223½
Union Trust and Storage 108½
Washington Savings Bank 106
Home Savings Bank 145 NATIONAL BANK STOCKS

GAS STOCKS. TYPE MACHINE STOCKS. on Monotype

Mafia Threats at Columbus. COLUMBUS, Ohio, October 21.-Head-

nembers of the local Mafia because the two policemen have been active in ferreting out crimes done by members of the Mafia. Town Reported Destroyed by Fire.

force, have been threatened with death by

MONTGOMERY, Ala., October 21 .- It is ported here that the town of Gordon, on

Bank of Washington.
Metropolitan.
Central
Farmers and Mechanics Citizens'. Columbia INSURANCE STOCKS. TITLE INSURANCE STOCKS

quarters Officer Churches and Sergeant Albanese, Italian members of the local police